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To whom it may concern,

The Township of Old Bridge secured FCC approval for the construction of a new simulcast site at the GPS location of 40-21-59.4N Latitude and 74-19-1702W Longitude. This location is commonly known to be located on a water tower near the intersection of Marlboro Road and Springdale Road in Old Bridge, New Jersey. The application was approved in July of 2014 and the initial construction deadline was between 07/10/2015 and 07/16/2015.

At the time of the application's approval, the site was being constructed as a joint venture between Old Bridge Township and NJ Transit. Site engineering had been completed and the initial construction deadline appeared to be realistic. However, since that time, NJ Transit decided that they would not be using the site and they withdrew from the project. As a result, the Township was required to reengineer the site plan and secure additional funding for construction. This process created significant delays in the construction of the new site and is the cause for this request for an extension.

If this extension is approved, it will allow the Township of Old Bridge to complete the site design, secure a construction contractor and complete construction of a site which is absolutely necessary to provide reliable public safety communications in the Township. Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully

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